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Title: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR CONTROLLING AND FORMING
POLYMER GELS

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450, Mail Stop Amendment
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants herein respond to the Office Action mailed March 23, 2009 (Paper No. 20090122). Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments to the application and request reconsideration of the alleged rejections in view of the following remarks.

Applicants believe that no extension of time is required, but expressly request an extension, and provide an authorization to charge our firm deposit account, should an extension be needed. Please debit any underpayments, or credit any overpayments, to firm deposit account no. 50-3840.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 8.